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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Wilson Burgess *et al.***)
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Application No. **10/060,208**) Group Art Unit: **1744**
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Filed: **February 1, 2002**) Examiner: **Elizabeth McKane**
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For: **Methods for Sterilizing Tissues**)

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TRANSMITTAL FORM

- Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in response to the Office Action dated December 8, 2003.
- Other Papers Submitted:
(i) Petition to Accept Unintentionally Delayed Claim Under 37 C.F.R. 1.78; and
(ii) Revocation of Original Power of Attorney and Grant of New Power of Attorney
- Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time from March 8, 2004 to June 8, 2004, the fee for a small entity which is **\$475.00** as set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16):

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Remaining		Previously Paid	Extra	Rate	Total Fees
Total Claims	78	minus	365	0	\$18 each=	0.00
Independent Claims	4	minus	9	0	\$86 each=	0.00
First presentation of Multiple dependent claim					\$290.00	0.00
Sub-total =						0.00
Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity						0.00
Total Fee =						0.00

- Fee Payment: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$1,805.00** to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of the three-month extension of time fee at the small entity rate (\$475.00) and the petition fee for submission of an unintentionally delayed claim for priority under 37 C.F.R. 1.78 (\$1,330.00).

6. Constructive Petition: **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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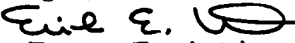
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